GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

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RATIFICATION OF INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON PROTECTION AND PROMOTION OF RIGHTS AND DIGNITY OF PWD
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has decided to ratify the International Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Rights and Dignity of Persons with Disabilities;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps being taken for its implementation?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) to (c) Government of India has signed the International Convention on the Rights for Persons with Disabilities on 30th March 2007. Provisions of the Conventions are implemented by the Central Government Ministries, State Governments/UT Administrations and monitored through Central Coordination Committee and Central Executive Committee set up under the Persons with Disabilities Act, 1995.